







## BY R.C.A.F.

Many Enemy Subs Attacked  
In Canada's Coastal Waters

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—(CP)—R.C.A.F. planes have attacked many enemy submarines in Canadian coastal waters since October, 1941, and a large number of the attacks are presumed to have been "successful, in varying degree," it was announced today.

City May Start  
Late Tram Runs  
On Two Routes

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representative should be prepared to grant the city a fare which would enable it to meet operating costs. He considered the 10 cent fare too low for the service.

In intimating that the fare would be approved the dominion official said that after a reasonable trial the commissioners concluded a higher fare would be warranted.

It will be glad to consider their representations provided they are supported by adequate financial statements, both in respect to the overall operations of the railway, and the cost system in operation.

Permission to operate the night schedule was given by Transit Commission George Gray who also approved the 10 cent fare. Mr. Gray said, in a communication to the commissioners, that he favored the providing of this service to the city because, after the war, taxicabs will be restricted to skeleton service for emergency only.

## FAILED IN PAST

Commissioner John Hodgson pointed out that previous experiments with late service on the city railway had been unsuccessful even when a 15 cent fare was charged. He added that a late service would be provided only if the public could be assured that members of the public could not be charged more than 25 cent cash fare as extremely reasonable.

Mr. D. Arley was of the opinion that the institution of this service would lead to persistent patronage of the system. He said that a 30 minute service should be maintained as long as long as the public could be assured that members of the public could not be charged more than 25 cent cash fare as extremely reasonable.

Thomas Ferrier, street railway superintendent, said the committee would not cost of operating the main routes would be \$200,000. He said that a survey showed that only 40 to 50 essential workers could be guaranteed to use the service.

New Butter Plan  
Rumored in East

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—(CP)—The official of a large retail food distributing firm yesterday said he had learned the Dominion government was about to issue an order which would be sold in stores only in cases of emergency of other food supplies in purchase.

George H. Bennis, central Ontario food and supply representative, said the apparent butter shortage in some districts was "a question of distribution rather than authorities at Ottawa are working on it from a national viewpoint."

Mr. T. Ross of Annapolis, N.S., was in charge of this air-craft with Sgt. W. G. Butler of Edmonton.

Admonition Flier  
Reaches Britain  
With New Force

A BRITISH PORT, Dec. 2.—(AP)—A new contingent of the Royal Canadian Air Force, composed of 100 ground crew, arrived in the United Kingdom yesterday to swell the strength of Canada's overseas air arm.

Among the pilots were Pilot Officer W. Spier of Vancouver. Among the observers and navigators were Pilot Officers G. R. Robinson of Vancouver, A. R. MacRobertson of Edmonton, A. R. MacRobertson of Vancouver, and C. MacRobertson of Vancouver.

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The water was superheated with wreckage of the boat's structure. A second boat was seen to plunge to bits. Many of the men who jumped had no life preservers.

British Airman Is Charged With Series of Thefts

MONCTON, N.B., Dec. 2.—(CP)—A. G. David Albert Shaw, R.A.C. Captain, was charged yesterday with 16 charges in connection with a number of robberies in the city of Moncton.

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ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, Dec. 2.—(CP)—Despite their heavy losses in previous abortive attempts to reinforce their isolated troops in the Buna-Gona area of New Guinea, the Japanese sent for destroyers and transport ships to reinforce their attempt to strengthen their force.

Allied planes scored hits and near misses on some of the ships, but there was no report of any latest attempt at reinforcement has been turned back, an Allied spokesman said.

With the Allied air force snaphotting the Japanese fleet, the Japanese are now seeking to bring their grip on the enemy, the Allied commander said.

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Under the agreement the two countries agree to co-operate in plans for post-war economic settlements which would be an example to the world.

Proposals outlined in the agreement suggest, in general, immediate steps towards attainment of the objectives of the Atlantic Charter, which was signed by President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill at their historic meeting on the North Atlantic August 1941.

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### Not Much Happened

Political analysts will have trouble discovering any broad significance in the outcome of Monday's three by-elections. In Outremont, Major General LaFleche, minister of war services, was elected over an anti-conscriptorist. In Charlevoix-Saguenay, an anti-conscriptorist, Independent, was elected over four Independent Liberals. In Winnipeg North Centre, the C.C.P. candidate won the seat which was formerly held for many years by Mr. J. S. Woodworth.

The net result from a group standpoint is to increase by one the Quebec bloc opposed to conscription in the federal government. But as the winner had a four-to-one handicap because his opponents were all of one party, the result is not so much as a dependable reflection of popular opinion on conscription, separation, or any other issue.

Nothing of public importance was gained by holding by-elections, as against allowing all three seats to go to nominees of the parties formerly holding them. Except perhaps for the result of the discussions the people living in those localities and newspaper readers generally may have now a somewhat clearer conception of the magnitude of Canadian efforts and the progress that is being made in expanding our fighting forces and producing munitions.

### Tunisia

In one respect the fighting in the Egyptian-Libyan desert and the fighting in Tunisia differ widely. The battle of Africa and the pursuit of Rommel's forces in the Egyptian desert and the fighting in Tunisia differ widely. The battle of Africa and the pursuit of Rommel's forces in the Egyptian desert and the fighting in Tunisia differ widely. The battle of Africa and the pursuit of Rommel's forces in the Egyptian desert and the fighting in Tunisia differ widely.

Tunis and Bizerte are the modern successors to ancient Carthage, whose destruction was urged by early Roman leaders because of the fruitfulness of the region which it was the metropolis. Phoenicians, Greeks, Italians, Arabs, and Turks and French have held control of the territory, and under each it has been noted for its grain and olive production.

The Allied forces closing in on the Tunisian capital and naval base are fighting in country from which they can draw very considerable supplies of food and other necessities. The Axis forces, as also from Algeria and Morocco to the west, that Germany aimed to secure these supplies and also to use the country as a base for operations against the coast, iron, copper, zinc and lead, is to be suppressed.

Tunisia in fact offered to Marshal Petain a very favorable basis on which to establish a French government when France fell. There, with Allied support, he would control the country, he would give him, he could have defied Hitler and Mussolini and made himself the head and idol of the Fighting French. He did not have to stay at Vichy, he could have had no place in North Africa where he could make a stand.

The occupation of Tunisia has already cut off from the Axis powers a source of food and materials of which they are in need, and which they have, with Laval's connivance, drawn upon to some extent. What the Axis has lost the Allies have won, thus scoring a double victory on the supply front.

### Italy's King

If the people of Italy do not respond to the Churchills' social life in the breaking of their country's alliance with Germany and Japan, that will only be because they are helpless, or think they are. Their hearts have never been with the war against nations with which they had no quarrel, and they know well enough that their hopes to see Italy again strong and free hang upon victory for the Allies, not the Axis.

But it is sanguine to expect any such response immediately. The masses there have neither the parliamentary machinery nor the leadership by which to overthrow Mussolini, backed by the German troops, German economic control, and the govt. A mob, however wishful, cannot wage successful war against such a combination, and there is no present indication that Mussolini could get rid of and Italy negotiate itself out of the war except as the outcome of a successful revolution.

The King, with the assistance of anti-Fascist military leaders and influential figures in the business and social life of the country, could give the necessary leadership to the masses. But nothing has happened to show that there is any prospect of this. Barring that, the only way Italy will have to be knocked out of the war by Allied blows, however little the Allied peoples care for Italy, is by the hostile powers for the crimes and criminal intentions of Mussolini.

There is no longer any doubt or danger of the fact that the king, for the purpose of the offensive in North Africa. What is happening there is by way of leaving the king for all his efforts. Italy, as the most convenient and most vulnerable sector on the Axis southern front, Mr. Churchill has said, and has given the Italian people a very good reason why they have to expect. The reality, they may be worse than the picture.

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may well be at stake in the decision he now has to make. If he fails to rescue his people from the fate of Mussolini, he will have with his consent, his crown is quite likely to be forfeit in the turmoil that must follow. The appeal to Italians is an appeal to their sovereign as well as to his subjects.

Toulon, it is suggested, is to replace Genoa as the shipping base for Axis supplies to North Africa. In that event the French population had better move out and move fast.

A report from the French frontier says Nazi troops en route from the Russian front to North Africa are being turned about and headed back for Russia. The report may be premature, but that is what it is bound to come to. German railwaymen are in for a busy winter working troop trains back and forth across Europe.

Officials say Vancouver is being invaded by job-hunters from the interior, but that they are too choosy. They all want well-paid work in the shipyards, and refuse to go to the lumber camps, where there are plenty of jobs. Perhaps they would go if the wages were more nearly on a parity.

Builders at a west coast Canadian port have turned out a standard freighter in 55 days, 9 days less than the former Canadian record. They even claim they may have beaten the Kaiser record, if the number of manhours hours spent in construction is taken as the basis of comparison. Whether so or not, 55 days from keel-laying to steam-up is good going, particularly good going if parts are fabricated where the building is done, and not merely put in place there after having been got ready in distant plants.

### Looking Backward

From The Bulletin Files

#### 1892 - 50 Years Ago

The Imperial Bank will remove tomorrow to their new premises in the corner of Jasper Avenue and McDougall street. Major J. C. Selby has been appointed immigration agent for the Northwest Government at Toronto.

The Victoria flour and rice mills shipped 3,000 bags of flour to Japan recently. Wm. O'Connor, champion carman of America, died at 90 days ago. He was the former Canadian record. They even claim they may have beaten the Kaiser record, if the number of manhours hours spent in construction is taken as the basis of comparison.

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#### 1912 - 30 Years Ago

London. The threat that Great Britain may become involved in a death struggle for European supremacy has given impetus to the movement for compulsory military service. Lord Roberts is heading the crusade for universal service. Edmonton is being swept by an epidemic of burlesques.

A U. Morell town planning expert, has prepared plans for the improvement of Jasper Avenue, Athabasca avenue, First street and Queen's avenue as well as for the improvement of the city.

The new Methodist church at the Highlands was opened yesterday. U.S. Senator N.P.P. Stettin, is in the city. The mercury fell last night to 15 below zero.

#### 1922 20 Years Ago

Two carloads of turkeys are to be shipped from Grande Prairie to Vancouver. The U.S.A. has failed to make good the threat to let the Edmonton-Clover Bar coal mine.

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Moscow. The Third International adopted a resolution to concentrate more effort on the colored people of the United States.

#### 1932 10 Years Ago

Paris. A conference to discuss disarmament will be held in Geneva. The participating countries will be the United States, Germany and Italy.

Washington. The St. Lawrence seaway treaty between Canada and the U.S. is before a sub-committee of the Senate.

Do violence to no man, neither accuse—Lyle 16-9.

If thou do ill, the joy fades, not the pain. If well, the pain fades, the joy remains.

—George Herbert.

## British Discover the Tonic for a Sick Society

At the commencement of the year, Sir William Beveridge, who has been working on a social security plan for the United Kingdom, has presented his report. It is a state-controlled insurance plan that covers all employment in health, accidents, marriages, child births, family allowances, old age pensions, and retirement allowances. It is the most sweeping system of social security ever to appear out of Russia.

It is significant that it is sponsored and produced at the request of not radicals and socialists, but of the sober group of men who are running the country. It is more than once under the charge of leading too far to the right. This does the work of a revolution.

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The world has been in revolt, sometimes quietly and sometimes loudly, but always actively, ever since the brotherhood of man was presented as an ideal to the human race.

Those who would maintain the status quo, have simply uncoupled themselves from the inevitable march of many who have followed. Certainly this plan is revolutionary, but it is not a revolution. It would be worth nothing. For this reason, it is not a revolution.

And when society ceases to advance, it is the death of society. The thing to remember, as I have said, is that this revolutionary social security plan has been promulgated, not by extremists and cranks, but by a moderate and sane group, proceeded for its caution and conservatism.

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A fibre control source said that a figure — virtually an order from the British and American fibre control — of 5,000,000 pounds of hemp fibre has been set to start about next year. The question of hemp production has been under the consideration of the department of agriculture and of the fibre control section of the department of munitions and supply.

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# TODAY'S MARKETS

## Toronto Stocks

TORONTO, Dec. 2.—(CP)—The stock market worked up a steady advance in the second half of the session. Some of the advance was forced into the moderate run of production that developed in the afternoon. Volume expanded to about 1,000,000 shares.

By James Richardson & Sons

Amalgamated	100	100
Bank of Montreal	100	100
Bank of Toronto	100	100
Canadian Pacific	100	100
Canadian National	100	100
Imperial Oil	100	100
Ontario Power	100	100
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## Range in Grain Prices

By James Richardson & Sons

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# The Edge of Darkness

BY WILLIAM WOODS

"THE STORY: Karl Fischer, in love with Karen Stenstrom, stands guard impatiently, dreaming of better days to come. At the night, however, Karl is persuaded by Katia, a Polish actress he met in Warsaw. Will she betray him?"

## CHAPTER XIII

"I DON'T know what to do," she cried suddenly. "They . . . they lied to me."

And then a smile broke out on his lips. "No!"

"Yes, Yes, they made me all kinds of promises, and didn't keep a one of them. They wanted me to work in a factory. They said I was going to be a high officer . . . maybe you could talk to the captain and get him to send me back."

"But what do you want me to do about it?"

She stopped, looking up at him with wide and pleading eyes. "Please don't say no to me, I thought . . . since you were here, and were pretending to be a high officer . . . maybe you could talk to the captain and get him to send me back."

Gently he put her hands away, got up, and went to the window. The evening lay warm and still in midwinter sunlight. Here and there beneath the trees a few red and yellow leaves still sideways down the small slope. "What a fool I am," he thought. "Here I stand talking to her, and God knows what's going on down in the village. He looked back at the girl."

## Hold Everything



"Must be great to have your name in lights, eh, Virgil?"

## Laff-A-Day



"If you do get in the Army, dear, I suppose there'll be a job all ready for you, managing General!"

## Curious World —By William Ferguson



clearing. He carried a walking stick crooked over his right arm.

The soldier must have seen him about the same time, for they started making good-humored remarks and chatted as soon as he came within earshot. Rick heard them shouting. "Ho, ho, the schoolmaster. Boys, have you studied your history? Look at that cane! We'll beat you if you don't know your lesson."

The old man paid them no attention, but came slowly to the steps. "Good morning," he said. "My name's Andrew Sixtus Andersen. There were little wrinkles at the corner of his lips as if he were laughing inside himself.

"Would you be so kind as to tell me if your commanding officer is here?"

"To be sure," said one, rolling his eyes skyward. "To be sure. And he started to bow, but at that moment, catching sight of the old man's face, stern and yet full of quiet pride, his bow became awkward as if before he finished he intended to become serious.

Sixtus Andersen started forward, but a burly trooper sitting on the porch landing crossed his path and with a front of him blocking the steps.

"Would you be so kind," said Sixtus with his stick. The soldier started to laugh, but then he realized that the old man was staring at him strangely.

"What's wrong?" he asked.

"Nothing. Nothing," Sixtus said slowly. "But your ancestors were Slavs, were they not?"

The soldier flushed angrily and scrambled up. "What do you mean by that? he turned out. What makes you say . . ."

"With receding forehead and flat-topped skull," Sixtus answered, repeating every word distinctly. "Next time you look in the mirror you will find you are a bit different from your ancestors. And with that, and a little nod to either side, he stepped past and vanished into the hotel.

The Polish girl lay on her bed staring with wide and frightened eyes at the ceiling. She had been crying. But now everything was still.

Katia was wavering between the two choices. Was to help the people in the village as Rick had urged her to do. The other way to lead her own life and try to get back to what had been, she always wanted. The second choice, so much the easier, had been strengthened by the ever recurring hope that they would send her back to the continent.

She had come slowly to believe that it was really true, that there was no hope. And discovering at the same time that there was no real life in the village, she found the fight of which she knew she could win. But now everything was still.

Katia knew suddenly what she must do. It would not be hard to steal a pistol from a soldier's room.

(To Be Continued)

## Mckenney On Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY

America's Card Authority

Bridge players throughout the nation will be pleased to learn that Lieut.-Col. Robert J. Gill of Baltimore, Md., who was president of the American Contract Bridge League in 1941, has been restored to his former rank and is now serving with the Third Service Command. Colonel Gill commanded the

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♠ 2	♥ 2	♦ 2	♣ 2

Duplicate—None vul.

North West North East  
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Opening—♠ K.

World War I and was awarded the Cross de Guerre with palm for action in France. Tournament players everywhere consider him one of the most playing personalities in bridge.

Today's hand is an example of the colonel's strategy in the play of the hand. West led two rounds of hearts and Gill (South) ruffed the second. A diamond was led, the ace winning the trick. Black came a third heart, and the colonel made the far-sighted safety play of discarding a club instead of ruffing. To accept the force would be disastrous if the trumps were split 4-1, then ended with a trump, which was won in dummy. A diamond lead to the king was followed by a third round of diamonds, which was ruffed high by dummy. Gill then took out trumps and claimed the rest.

## Big Grain Armada Leaves Lakehead

Forty vessels, carrying a total of 8,000,000 bushels of all grains, left the Lakehead Monday and yesterday and are now steaming their way east. Thirty-five ships sailed before a higher insurance rate became effective at midnight.

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## PREMIER HAS NO COMMENT

# Next Legislative Session Will Open Feb. 4

## Three-Day Government Caucus Will Be Held As Prelude to Debates

The second session of the ninth Alberta legislature probably will open on Thursday, Feb. 4, 1943, it was learned on reliable authority Wednesday. While no announcement has come from the government, it is known that the favored date lies in the first week of February, and as it is customary to open on Thursday, it is probable the government will announce to open that day.

## Is Appointed



Wing Commander Farrell, goes temporarily to headquarters of No. 4 Air Command, Calgary.

## W. C. Trimble Named Officer For Rationing

W. C. Trimble, Edmonton, has been appointed farm equipment rationing officer for this district, it was announced Wednesday by W. S. Campbell, regional representative for the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Coming to the city in 1936, for 14 years Mr. Trimble was associated with Allis-Chalmers-Rumley Company, implement dealer. He was also in the automobile business, and for the past three years has been secretary of the Edmonton branch of the Alberta Implement Association.

## Army Recruiting Reveals Increase

Recruiting for the active army here had the best month since August, figures for the month of November, released Wednesday by Lt. Col. Alan Elliott, officer commanding the Edmonton wing of M.D. 13, reveal.

During the month just closed there were 362 recruits taken on the strength of the active army here. There were 321 applications to the medical board.

In October there were 214 taken on the strength of army units here out of 242 making application. In August there were 421 acceptances out of 685 who applied for enlistment.

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## I Saw Today Seek Removal Crowding Front Of Street Cars

Signs to educate patrons of the street railway system, against creating a "bottle-neck" in the front of street cars will be posted in conspicuous places in this city, Thomas Parrish, street railway superintendent, stated Wednesday.

One of the big difficulties at present experienced at peak-load hours was the reluctance of patrons to go to the end of street cars. The result of this was that the cars added and eventually worked hard on patrons.

He said that many cars are prevented from carrying a capacity load because patrons are unable to enter the vehicle although there is considerable standing room at the rear of the car.

He stated also that a check-up was being made on the number of students more than 14 years of age who are using the street car after school hours. He pointed out that these "identification" signs, which carry identification of the school principal which permits them to use the street car's tickets. These tickets are only available for journeys to and from school.

He said that many students were being made of staying downtown until late in the afternoon before returning to their homes at the heaviest peak-load.

On December 1, 1941, the price ceiling went into effect in Canada. What was your opinion of the effort made during the past year by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board to put prices during war time?

**THE ANSWERS**  
 MRS. H. C. NEWLAND, housewife: I think no full-fledged person can say that the results obtained from the enforcement of a price ceiling by the dominion government have not only justified the measure. A comparison of the rise in prices during the corresponding year of the last war furnishes statistical proof of the stabilizing influence of this and other related government controls. Other than this effectiveness will continue depend upon the ability of the government to sufficiently reduce consumer purchasing power for the duration of the war, and in my opinion, the best means for ensuring this are the placing of a ceiling on wage and increased taxation on high income brackets. It should also be remembered that the effect of taxation is in many cases to be paid by the consumer by the amount of purchasing power lost by the individual after the deduction of the tax, rather than by its actual rate.

**RESERVE ARMY INSPECTION IS OPEN TO PUBLIC**  
 The public is invited to attend the full-scale inspection of all area reserve army units by Major-General Sir D.S.O. McC. Robertson, director-general of the Reserve Army in Canada, which will be held at the Prince of Wales Army Thursday, starting at 8:30 p.m.

Lt.-Col. E. Brown, M.D., E.D. area commandant, stated Wednesday that civilians may view the parade from the balcony of the army.

The director-general will arrive in Edmonton at 8 a.m. Thursday from Calgary.

Accompanying Maj.-Gen. Brown are Col. E. R. Knight, D.V., brigade commander, and Maj. W. C. Roberts, brigade major for the 1st Reserve Brigade Group.

**Getting Around with Jack DeLong**  
 Rationing, it seems, is a trend that is starting to run through every form of public service. City Commissioner R. J. Gibb Tuesday warned that power rationing is a distinct possibility.

"In this case it isn't a question of any shortage of electricity or generating apparatus. There is a steadily diminishing coal pile at the power plant. Reserves are going up in smoke at the rate of a few hundred tons a week, the government states, and it may be that the city will request some of its customers to go easy with their stoves during the winter weather conditions."

Again it is brought home to citizens that the vast mass of interrelated operations and processes a modern industrial civilization really is.

Actually, a machine civilization might well be compared to the human body.

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**Pensioners' Society To Elect Officers**  
 Regular general meeting sponsored by the Alberta Pensioners' Society Incorporated, will be held at the I.O.O.F. hall, 105 street, at 8 p.m. Monday evening, Dec. 2. Officers and the board of directors for 1943 will be held, and entertainment will be provided. The meeting is open to all members of the pensioners' society and their friends.

**Rib Is Fractured**  
 Victim of an accident while working at Smith's packing plant, William Knudsen, 45, of 101st street, was admitted to the Royal Alexandra hospital at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday.

He is believed suffering from rib fractures. He was taken to hospital in a Smith's ambulance.

**Temperature Rises When Snow Falls**  
 Light snow was falling in the city Wednesday morning, and overnight has increased it might come. Temperatures dropped to below during the night and rose to above in the morning. Tuesday's maximum reading was one above.

**ROAD REPORT**  
 A. M. A. Safety Signage: Be careful when passing children or aged people.

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## AROUND THE TOWN

**Walter M. Gordon, Edmonton**, has been named a justice of the peace, contained in the latest issue of the Alberta Gazette.

**Charles R. Pearce, Edmonton**, has been appointed a member of the Provincial Marketing Board for a recent order-in-council passed by the Alberta government.

**To adopt a new constitution** for the Co-Ordination of the Young People's Association, the Y.W.C.A. building at 8 p.m. Wednesday.

**Appointment of 28 new commissioners** to the Board of Health, announced in the latest issue of the Alberta Gazette. Mildred I. Hill is the only appointee from Edmonton, the remainder being named in other parts of the province.

**Members of the Edmonton Rotary Club** will have Rev. A. Schragg for their guest speaker at their regular weekly luncheon meeting at the MacDonald Hotel Thursday noon. Topic of his address will be "The Road of the Rotary Wheel."

**"Wings Across Canada,"** a motion picture dealing with the development of air travel and its importance in the world of commerce, will be shown to members of the Edmonton Rotary Club at their regular weekly luncheon meeting at the MacDonald Hotel Thursday noon.

**Tickets for the McCauley Group** concert and dance to be held in the Masonic Temple Tuesday, Dec. 8, may now be obtained from the Barber's Local No. 227, and proceeds are to be forwarded to the Queen's Canadian Fund, especially marked for the "Children's Christmas" in Great Britain.

**Running along of Wartime Prices and Trade Board regulations** with respect to prices of meals, out C. L. Sam, proprietor of the Buffalo Hotel, 101 street, said that the big concern, when he pleaded guilty to a charge in city police court on Wednesday, he was charged with assessing a higher price for meals than the prescribed rate. He pleaded a safe that the price charged for similar service during the standard period was higher than the current rate.

**Coal production still lags behind** that of a year ago, officials say, as a result of the war in "dirt need." Lloydmasters of the railway and the smaller towns have reported a serious shortage. The reason is the fact that the mine and mill labor situation has been relieved by the return of about 200 miners are not clear.

**A banquet room in the basement** of the First Presbyterian church, 110 street, U.S. contractors with much offices for northern projects located in the basement. The room is being occupied by the firm has been required for the payroll staff, and it is expected that the hall will be required for six or eight weeks, until the office building at 113 street and Jasper avenue is completed. The space is being provided by the church free of charge, but the occupants will be paid for heat, light and water.

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## City Man Is Appointed As Commanding Officer Of North West Route

Former resident of Edmonton, a graduate of Alberta College, and at one time employed by the Edmonton City Dairy here, Wing Commander W. J. "Paddy" McFarlane has been named commanding officer of the Northwest Staging Route, succeeding Wing Commander C. M. G. "Con" Farrell, D.F.C.

**Wing Commander Farrell, goes temporarily to headquarters of No. 4 Air Command, Calgary.**

The Northwest Staging Route comprises R.C.A.F. establishments along the Alaska Highway, between Edmonton and Whitehorse in the Yukon.

The new commanding officer was born in Ireland but came to Canada early in life.

He lived in Edmonton from 1921 to 1926 and married Miss Barbara Knox of this city.

Moving to the Pacific coast he learned to fly in 1929. He became a member of the Auxiliary Air Force of the R.C.A.F. and served with the 11th Squadron on the coast. Immediately war broke out in 1939 he went on active service. He opened the R.C.A.F. station at Petrol Bay, near one of the most important air force establishments on the Canadian Pacific coast. He held the rank of flight lieutenant at that time.

**GOES EAST**  
 Later he went east and opened a station at Petrol, Ont. He was next in charge of staff pilot training at Rockville.

July he was promoted to the rank of wing commander and sent to Labrador where he established a post base. He is now in command of the Northwest Staging Route of R.C.A.F. establishments between Edmonton and Whitehorse.

He is delighted to be back in his old home town again where he has many friends.

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